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Applicant

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Art Unit

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Examiner

H. Nguyen

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AMENDMENT

Hon. Assertant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 1, 1999, no paper number, in the subject patent application, for which a response is due on December 1, 1999, and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a one-month extension, ending 1 January 2000, is hereby requested, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

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Please charge the required fee of one hundred ten dollars (\$110.00) for extending the time for a response within the first month after the original response date, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(b) to Deposit Account 07-0832.

The Applicants submit that in view of the attached Certificate of Mailing, this response is timely.

The Applicants request that the application be amended as follows:

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